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QUESTION OF PATRONAGE INTERESTING TOPIC OF THE PRESENT "CABINET"

Majority of Office-holders Signify Willingness to Tender Resignation to Governor Pinkham—Policy of the Incoming Chief Executive Subject of Speculation—Bench Vacancies Interesting

Ernest A. Mott-Smith, secretary of territory. Appointed Dec. 15, 1907.—Term expires Dec. 17, 1911.
Wade Warren Thayer, attorney general. Appointed Jan. 1, 1913.—Term expires Dec. 31, 1916. Confirmed by senate.
David L. Conkling, territorial treasurer. Appointed July 1, 1913.—Term expires June 30, 1917. Recess appointment.
John W. Caldwell, superintendent of public works. Appointed May 2, 1913.—Term expires May 1, 1917. Recess appointment.
Joseph H. Fisher, territorial auditor. Appointed May 10, 1912.—Term expires May 9, 1916. Confirmed by senate.
Dr. J. S. B. Pratt, president of board of health. Appointed August 21, 1912.—Term expires Aug. 20, 1915. Recess appointment.
Joshua D. Tucker, commissioner of public lands. Appointed March 4, 1913.—Term expires March 3, 1916. Confirmed.
Col. J. W. Jones, adjutant-general of national guard. Term continues at will of governor.
H. H. Gibson, superintendent of public instruction. Appointed June 8, 1913.—Term expires June 4, 1917. Recess appointment.
Charles H. Merriam, registrar of conveyances. Appointed May 10, 1908.—Term at will of governor.
William Henry, high sheriff. Appointed Oct. 21, 1912.—Term expires Oct. 20, 1916. Confirmed.
Walter B. Wall, surveyor. Appointed Feb. 1, 1911.—Term expires July 1, 1915. Confirmed.

With Governor Pinkham to arrive within a short time, the question of patronage and how it will affect the officials now in office, several of them on recess appointments, has become a query of no little moment, particularly to the men now making up Governor Frear's "cabinet."

The above table gives a list of the leading territorial officials and the condition and length of their appointment. The recess appointees, not confirmed by the senate, may be removed by the governor, while in the case of the others, with the exception of the officials holding office at the pleasure of the chief executive, it rests with them whether or not they resign.

Through the majority included in the personnel of the "cabinet" have received the senate's confirmation of their appointment, they have with an exception or two announced that their resignations will be tendered to the incoming chief executive.

Another phase of the patronage question comes up with regard to the vacancies which will occur in the circuit and supreme courts. The term of Antonio Perry, associate justice, expired May 5, 1913, and the term of John T. De Bolt will expire January 24, 1914. It is felt that President Wilson will accept the recommendation of Governor Pinkham for the successors of these justices, and also his recommendation in the appointment of successors to fill the vacancies of the circuit court. The term of William L. Whitney, appointed May 6, 1909, expired May 5, 1913; Judge Cooper, appointed as circuit judge of this district May 7, 1910, will have his term expire this spring. Judge William Robinson's term expires March of 1914. On the other side, commissions of other circuit judges expire. S. B. Kinsbury of Waikeke is an instance. His term has already expired, the date being January 1914. Commissioner of Public Lands, Joshua D. Tucker, also has his term expire.

What the policy of Pinkham will be, that is continue the "cabinet" in office and recommend the reappointment of the supreme and circuit court judges, or following another policy, but new men in office, is a question which cannot be satisfactorily answered now. His choice for a secretary of territory is also not known. Several names have been mentioned, but so far as can be learned, he has not settled that question yet, or at least has given no public intimation that he has.

Those returning from Washington have almost unanimously reported on arriving here that the president will give Governor Pinkham full power to recommend the distribution of patronage of federal offices here. In that case, in addition to naming the new judges, the appointment of the postmaster, collector of internal revenue, and collector of customs would virtually be in his hands.

Land Commissioner Tucker, for one, has said that he will not tender his resignation with the arrival of the governor. He has said that as his appointment was confirmed by the last legislature he feels entitled to continue until the expiration of his term. Attorney-general Thayer, whose appointment was also confirmed, sees the proposition in another light. He has announced that he will tender his resignation at once, but if the governor requests him to do so he will continue in office. A few of the "cabinet" are following out a policy of strict reticence regarding their plans.

It seems to be believed by some who represent themselves to be close to the new governor that he will not make many changes in the department heads. However that may be, there is sure to be a host of jobs. There are many of those jobs, which probably will not be "howled" for as loud as others, carrying no remuneration, which presumably will be open. Members of many of the commissions and boards, the board of forestry and agriculture, the board of immigration, labor and statistics, the land fund commission, etc., as examples, have said that they will submit their resignations as soon as Pinkham arrives.

RAPID TRANSIT FRANCHISE URGED IN HEARING OF HOUSE COMMITTEE

(Special Star-Bulletin Cable)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 4.—Appearing on behalf of the Honolulu Rapid Transit Company, representatives of the Honolulu street-railway company were heard before the House committee on territories today in arguments for the passage of the franchise extension bill. Retiring Governor Frear, Governor-designate Pinkham, President L. Tenney Peck of the company, A. B. Gove, of the firm of Peck & Gray, and Jack Desha, secretary to Delegate Kuhl, appeared at the hearing and made strong arguments for action on the proposed legislation.

C. S. ALBERT.

PROGRESSIVES CARTER AND ATKINSON WOULD QUIT JOBS

Former Governor George R. Carter, and Attorney A. L. C. Atkinson, at the weekly meeting of the local Progressive party membership at noon today, decided to tender their resignations from territorial boards in order that the incoming governor, L. E. Pinkham, might have a free hand to make appointments as he sees fit. Also, they voice the hope that other members of kindred boards and committees would do likewise, stating that it was their belief that a new chief executive should be given every opportunity to "make good" and that he would be seriously handicapped should the appointees of the outgoing administration "stand pat."

Mr. Carter is a member of the board of health and of the archipelago commission, while Mr. Atkinson is a member of the board of immigration.

"The new governor will be responsible to the president and to the people of the territory for the administration of his office," said Mr. Atkinson, and it is the belief of Mr. Carter and myself that he should be given every possibility of "making good." This he can not do if he is weighted down with the appointees of his predecessor and I trust that every other man, holding office by virtue of the action of Governor Frear will see the matter in the same light and follow the action of Mr. Carter and myself."

Consul-general Etaki, who is shortly to leave Honolulu for Japan to take a consular position in China, this morning presented 12 teakwood chairs to one of the Japanese tea houses at

ORDERED TO VERA CRUZ TO REINFORCE FLEET



PACHECO OBJECT OF FIGHT; HIS POSITION STAKED

Central Committee Leader
Calls Meeting at Which Op-
position May Launch
the Battle

A warm fight on Chairman M. C. Pacheco of the Democratic territorial central committee, brewing and boiling for several weeks past, is expected to come to a climax next Monday evening when a business meeting of the committee is called in the McCall building, Bethel street, at 7:30 o'clock.

Charles Barron, vice-chairman of the Democratic county committee, is credited with being one of the moving powers in the fight to oust Pacheco from leadership of the Bourbon organization in Hawaii. Barron makes no secret of the fact that he is "out to get Pacheco," and he and his friends are securing a number of proxies to be used at the proper time in a vote to depose the chairman and substitute another.

Barron gives as the reasons for the fight that the Democratic territorial committee, under present administration, is practically a close corporation, and that the Democrats of the territory know nothing of what the central organization is doing.

Barron's claim is that Pacheco and National Committeeman John H. Wilson are ruling with too high a hand, making indorsements without reference to the wishes of the rank and file of the party, and in particular are not always supporting home-grown candidates for office.

Pacheco betrays no uneasiness about the outcome of the fight. "Those who are opposed to me will have their opportunity to come out in the open at the meeting next Monday," he said today. "I have called the meeting and we shall see."

The avowed object of the meeting is to plan receptions for Governor Pinkham and United States District Attorney McCann, when these two new appointees of the Democratic administration arrive in Honolulu.

LIGHTED WAY CITY'S GIFT TO CARNIVAL WEEK

Kalakaua avenue, lighted from end to end of the long arc from King street to Lewis avenue, will be the city's official contribution to the gaieties of carnival week.

And their gift to the carnival management will be also a permanent improvement to the city.

Quietly but with effect the supervisors have been laying plans to illuminate Kalakaua avenue with handsome electric lights on ornamental poles and how they assure the people of Honolulu that the improvement will be completed by February 15. "The poles are all here and the equipment is ready," said Supervisor Pacheco this morning. "The plan is to put the lights on both sides of the parking strip in the center, also lights at each end of the divisions in the parking strip, five to each section. The distance is about a third of a mile and it will be handsomely illuminated under the direction of City Electrician Frazee. Frazee will start the installation as soon as the installation of lights in the Awaatolu district is completed."



Cruiser Chester, which has been ordered into Mexican waters. Below, to right—Captain Mosset of the Chester and Captain Chadwick of the Montano, which also is stationed at Vera Cruz.

HAWAII FAIR COMMISSION AND EXPOSITION OFFICIALS ONCE MORE ARE AT LOGGERHEADS

Although the Hawaii fair commission and the officials of the Pan-Pacific exposition again have come to loggerheads, this time over the matter of selling concessions in which the latter have set forth rather strenuous objections to Hawaii offering for sale in her building anything from which a profit might be derived, the commissioners, meeting at 10 o'clock this morning, indicated that once the fair officials are correctly informed as to the arrangements of the building to provide for such concessions, and the fact made clear that Hawaii intends making no profits from her concessions, the matter may be satisfactorily straightened out and the commission placed in a position to go ahead with its present plans.

Following Chairman H. P. Wood's return from the mainland, where he went in the interest of the commission, J. N. S. Williams interviewed the president of the exposition, at which time the question of selling concessions was brought up. The matter was discussed to some extent, with the result that the president addressed a personal letter to Mr. Williams, in which he set forth his views on the matter, and it was agreed that Mr. Williams would, in turn, present the letter before a meeting of the commission. According to the president he believes that the selling of things in the Hawaiian building would be a source of continual confusion and that this confusion would interfere with any reception which might be held in the building on the occasion of a visit from some distinguished person. This matter has been threshed out by the commission and the building arranged in such a manner as to be prepared for such visits, and at which time any confusion would be eliminated.

The members of the Hawaii fair commission in no way criticize the exposition official for the views which he has taken, for it is plain he is rigidly upholding the set rules and regulations of the exposition. On the other hand, Hawaii intends making no profit on her exhibits or the things which she intends having for sale, and the location of the sales would in no way interfere with what might be going on on the ground floor. A resolution was passed by the commission to the effect that a letter, setting forth the views of the body with regard to the arrangement of the building, and other matter to answer the points brought out in the communication, be drafted and sent to the exposition company at an early date.

LARGE NUMBER OF PLANTERS MAKE TRIP TO SUB-EXPERIMENT STATION

Visit to Kamehameha Schools
Is of Great Interest to Mem-
bers of the Party

Beautiful weather outside the city district and at destination favored the expedition of the planters' association to the sub-experiment station at Waiolo yesterday afternoon. Forty or 50 members took the trip, the main portion leaving the front of Castle & Cooke's building in autos, another party having gone ahead as guests at luncheon of Manager James Gibb of Honolulu plantation.

There is an area of 73 acres planted in cane of many varieties including a considerable range of the Hawaii series, propagated by the experiment station staff. These, together with Yellow Caledonia and one or two other exotic varieties, are placed in sections of rows in juxtaposition with the old standby, Lahaina, now on trial for its life. As will have been seen by the Star-Bulletin reports of the convention, Lahaina cane is in many places showing signs of degeneration.

Some sections of the Lahaina at

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MEXICAN REBELS WILL SOON HOLD ALL NORTHERN MEXICO

(Associated Press Cable)

JUAREZ, Mex., Dec. 4.—All northern Mexico will soon be in the hands of the Constitutionalists and within a week they will have a brilliant opportunity to march toward Mexico City with little opposition until they near the capital. The federals are fleeing on all sides.

MILITANTS ARE BADLY FOOLED

(Associated Press Cable)

PLYMOUTH, England, Dec. 4.—Foiled by the activity of the government officials, a big squad of militant suffragettes gathered here to make a sensational rescue of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, who was placed under arrest, failed to notice her transfer to a hotel tug which met the liner Majestic. The transfer was quickly accomplished and the tug, bound for Devonport, where Mrs. Pankhurst was immediately taken ashore and sent to Exeter jail.

The suffragettes, realizing too late that their leader had been taken aboard the tug, attempted to pursue the tug in a launch, but were forced to put back owing to a heavy sea.

PRENDERGAST BOLTS BULL MOOSE

(Associated Press Cable)

NEW YORK, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Comptroller William A. Prendergast, prominent Bull Moose leader in New York state and city, has bolted the Progressive party. In a statement made public today giving his reasons for his switch, he says that he considers that recent elections show that a third party will result in the continuous domination of the Democrats. He returns to the Republican party.

GERMAN ARMY OFFICERS IN TROUBLE

(Associated Press Cable)

BERLIN, Germany, Dec. 4.—The dominating behavior of imperial German army officers stationed in and near Zabern, Alsace, has precipitated a political crisis in Germany and may cause an upheaval in certain divisions of the army, as well as in the war office.

For several months there have been complaints of high-handed proceedings by the officers of the Zabern garrison and during the past month there have been many attacks with civilians. This situation has created general indignation throughout Germany and culminated in a political crisis today when parliament, refusing to accept the explanations of the imperial chancellor and the minister of war, passed a vote of lack of confidence in the ministry by 293 to 54.

The Kaiser has indignantly summoned the governor-general and the commander-general of Alsace-Lorraine to report personally to him, and unless satisfactory explanations can be offered, officers, given, it is likely to go hard with the

Think Bandit Has Escaped

(Associated Press Cable)

BINGHAM, Utah, Dec. 4.—The miners of this section, knowing the miles of underground mine workings into which Ralph Lewis, the Mexican bandit and murderer, made his escape and the outlaw's resourcefulness, are betting two to one that Lewis has escaped again from the mine which thought him trapped. The sheriff is still keeping up the pumping of poisonous fumes into the mine, which will be opened tomorrow and a posse sent in.

Wilson Sick With Bad Cold

(Associated Press Cable)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 4.—President Wilson is sick in bed today, owing to a heavy cold which has settled in his head and throat. His engagements for today and tomorrow have been cancelled.

LANE TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL OF CHICAGO IS VOCATIONAL INSTITUTION

The Lane Technical High School of Chicago is engaged in teaching practical craftsmanship. It is really a vocational school of a high order and its graduates have always acquitted themselves creditably. During the last summer vacation, they accomplished a feat which vividly demonstrates the advantages of technical and vocational training.

Statistics compiled by Principal William J. Bogan show that 300 students of the school earned the sum of \$31,583.12 during their vacation, while 125 students, working as plumbers' apprentices, earned an additional \$9,275, making a grand total earned by students of the school during the vacation season of \$40,858.12.

A list of the jobs held by these 800 students is interesting. Here it is: Clerks, 150; office boys, 95; messengers, 50; bell boys, 10; farmers' assistants, 50; machine-shop helpers, 34; pattern-shop helpers, 10; engine helpers, 15; elevated-railroad guards, 8; chauffeurs, 20; electric shop helpers, 36; newspaper carriers, 40; moving-picture operators, 15; express-wagon boys, 10; drafting offices, 20; florists' helpers, 10; carpenters' helpers, 13; collectors, 20; teachers, 2; forest service, 1; tree surgeon, 1.

Of course, not all of these ambitious boys, or even a majority of them, did trades work. Probably there were not enough temporary jobs of that sort to be obtained. However, including the plumbers' apprentices, 345 of the boys were engaged in trades, while 550 had had sufficient endurance, manliness and independence implanted in their minds by their training to go to work at any respectable job that presented itself.

The figures speak eloquently of the advantages of vocational education. They prove how wholesome is the training which makes all honest work respectable and shows that the boys being trained to the trades have a proper conception of the dignity of labor and are earnest in their desire to perfect themselves in craftsmanship.

LABOR BONUS
TO BE SAME
AS LAST YEAR

Notwithstanding the hard case of the sugar industry, from the tariff and low prices combined, the plantation laborer is not going to be deprived of his bonus. It was authoritatively given out this afternoon that the bonus this year will be the same as last year—namely, one per cent for every dollar over \$70 a ton in the price of sugar. The past season the price ranged a little over \$71 a ton, which afforded the laborer a goodly addition to the sum of their wages.

PLANTERS FINISH
SESSION TODAY—
TO BANQUET TONIGHT

Having completed its executive session on the labor question this forenoon, the Planters' Association resumed executive session at 1:30 this afternoon. At that time Noel Derr, the sugar expert, read his report on mill work.

This is the last report of the session, and after disposing of it the members will visit the main experiment station.

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